

Congressman Pence was mentioned in several news outlets today with regard to the bailout bill which failed in the House on Monday:

CNN: " ['Sweeteners' could make bailout package sour for House Dems](#) "

Before Monday's vote, House members were bombarded with constituent calls in opposition to the bill. The calls to one Republican opponent of the measure, Rep. Mike Pence of Indiana, were running 85 percent to 90 percent against the bailout, said Bill Smith, Pence's chief of staff.

ABC

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[Congress Faces Wrath of Wall Street, Support From Main Street](#)

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In Muncie, Ind., Congressman Mike Pence told his fellow Hoosiers why he voted against the \$700 billion economic stabilization bill.

"It was based on my philosophical objection to essentially using taxpayer dollars to nationalize every bad mortgage in America," Pence told constituents.

Judging from the phone calls to his office running 9-to-1 against the bill, that was the popular decision.

Indiana resident Gina Robinson said she thought that legislators shouldn't hurry the process. "I didn't think it needed to be rushed. It's taken a long time for us to get into this position; I think we needed to take the time to back up," Robinson said.

FreedomWorks's Matt Kibbe in *The Washington Times*: " [Bailout brakes](#) "

A few stalwart members of Congress have stood up to this plan to socialize major Wall Street investment banks. Reps. Mike Pence of Indiana and Jeb Hensarling of Texas and Sens. Jim DeMint of South Carolina, Jim Bunning of Kentucky and Richard Shelby of Alabama, all Republicans, have bravely stood up and said "no" to the proposed bailout. They are recruiting others. So far, Democrats are refusing to pass the bill without House Republican complicity. That alone should tell us all the essence of the bill.